

NEW MEXICO EDUCATORS

They Will Meet at the Territorial Capital December 28-31.

THE PROGRAM IN FULL

The Citizens have received a copy of the program of exercises of the New Mexico Educational association, which convenes in convention at Santa Fe on December 28 and continues for four days. The program is as follows:

New Mexico Academy of Science.

Monday, December 28—2 p. m.—Business meeting; "Photo-Metric Units," Dr. C. E. Magnusson, Socorro; discussion and questions. "New Rapid Assay Method for Zinc," Prof. F. C. Lincoln, Socorro; discussion and questions. "Glaciation in the High Plateau of Bolivia," Dr. W. G. Ticht, Albuquerque; discussion and questions. "Note on Black Mountains," and "Revised Geographic Column for New Mexico," Dr. Charles R. Keyes, Socorro; general discussion and questions.

Monday evening, December 28—7:30 p. m.—Business meeting. Special conference of language teachers. President's address. "Notes on Some New Mexico Minerals," Dr. Rufus M. Bagg, Socorro.

Tuesday forenoon, December 29—7:30 a. m.—Scientific excursion to the Indian village, Tenague; fare \$1. A delightful and interesting trip.

New Mexico Education Council.

Tuesday afternoon, December 29—2 p. m.—Report of the legislative committee.

3. "How Shall the Normal Institute Be Made More Effective," Professor Hiram Hadley, Las Cruces. Discussion: W. H. Becker, superintendent of schools, Gallup, and A. B. Strous, superintendent of schools, Albuquerque.

3. "Correlation of the Work of Higher Institutions," Professor W. G. Ticht, Albuquerque. Discussion: President Luther Foster, Mesilla Park, and President Edward J. Vert, Las Vegas.

4. Business meeting and election of officers.

Educational Association.

Tuesday evening, December 29—8 p. m.—

Musical, "America," by the audience. Prayer, Rev. W. A. Cooper.

Musical.

Address of welcome, ex-Governor L. Bradford Prince, president board of trade; Hon. T. B. Catron, president board of education; Hon. A. L. Morris, representing the citizens of Santa Fe.

Response, Edward J. Vert, president Las Vegas Normal University.

Musical.

Annual address by the president of the association, Luther Foster, president of New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts.

Social and hand shaking in the halls of the capitol.

Wednesday afternoon, December 30—9:30 a. m.—

"New System of Dimensioned Equations," Dr. C. E. Magnusson, Socorro.

"The Geographic Development of South America," President W. G. Ticht, Albuquerque.

"Some Irrigation Problems in New Mexico," Professor O. R. Smith, Socorro.

General discussion and business session.

Wednesday afternoon, December 30—2 p. m.—

"Teaching as a Profession," Edward A. Platter, principal Santa Fe High school.

Discussion by principal of Las Vegas High school.

"Educational Auxiliaries," J. A. Miller, principal High school, Albuquerque.

"Scientific Temperance," by one to be appointed.

Wednesday evening December 30—8 p. m.—

Musical.

Lecture: "What a Blind Man Saw in Europe," Professor J. Perrine Hamilton, Battle Creek, Michigan. Lecture free to all.

Note—Professor Hamilton is not only "The Blind Man" eloquent. He is also an athlete and holds seven prize medals for catch-as-catch-can wrestling. He won the state championship when the intercollegiate meet was held at Ypsilanti.

Thursday forenoon, December 31—9:30 a. m.—

"Value and Correlation of Literature in the Public Schools," Professor U. Francis Duff, Deming.

"Public School Course of Study in Literature," Professor E. F. Dunlap, New Mexico Normal School.

"The Crucial Test in Mathematics," Professor C. E. Magnusson, Socorro.

General discussion, business meeting and election of officers.

Thursday afternoon, December 31—2 p. m.—

Excursion to the United States Industrial Indian school and penitentiary.

Officers of Association.

The officers of the various organizations are as follows:

Educational association—President, Luther Foster, Mesilla Park.

Secretary, Ella May Berger, Santa Fe.

Treasurer, Hiram Hadley, Las Cruces.

Executive committee, J. A. Wood, Santa Fe; W. G. Ticht, Albuquerque; Miss Sarah M. Ellis, Silver City.

Academy of Science—President, Hon. Frank Springer, Las Vegas.

Vice president, Dr. Chas. R. Keyes, Socorro.

Secretary and treasurer, W. G. Ticht, Albuquerque.

Educational Council—President, C. M. Light, Silver City.

Secretary and treasurer, D. M. Richards, Las Cruces.

Railroad Rates.

The committee is instructed to announce that a rate of one fare for the round trip will be authorized for the educational meeting from all points

in New Mexico, also El Paso and Trinidad to Santa Fe. Dates of sale will be December 27, 28 and 29; good for return passage until January 4, 1904.

A Receiver Is Appointed.—In the case of John E. Lanning, receiver of the Monmouth Trust and Safe Deposit company of Ashbury Park, New Jersey, versus the Frazier Mountain Copper company, William Frazier, Albert C. Twining, the First National bank of Santa Fe, and Thos. Wheeler and all unknown heirs of John R. Wheeler, deceased, for the appointment of a receiver and to create a trust for the Monmouth Trust and Safe Deposit company, Associate Justice John R. McFie yesterday appointed Frank Staplin of Taos, receiver for the company.

A temporary bond was required and is furnished by the American Bonding company of Baltimore. The bond was approved and Mr. Staplin was authorized to enter upon the discharge of his duties. Mr. Staplin upon returning to Taos will take charge of the business and manage it. Mr. Staplin is in this city today to consult with W. B. Childers upon legal matters connected with the companies. The Monmouth Trust and Safe Deposit company is a large creditor of the Frazier Mountain Copper company and hence the suit.

ALBUQUERQUE DEFEATED.

There were certain persons at the depot last Friday when the University basketball team of Albuquerque reached here, who were of the opinion that the Deming girls would not be one, two, three in the contest booked to take place between the Duke city aggregation and the local team in the opera house on Saturday evening, says the Deming Graphic.

It is even said that certain town boys, after sitting up the visiting team, wagged boxes of bon bons, soda water, etc., against the home talent, strangers and visitors taking the other end.

But the "wise guys" had another guess coming, for, notwithstanding the fact that the Albuquerque team was by far the stockier and heavier, the Deming girls made the visitors look like small change long before the game was over.

The visiting team consisted of Miss Kate Cunningham, captain, (c); the Misses Finch, (g), Harach, (g), Smith, (f), Mondy, (f), Vaughan, substitute. Accompanying the team were Miss Julia Duncan Brown, coach and University librarian; Clarence Heald, manager, and Professor Angell.

The Deming team was composed of Misses Susan Connolly captain, (c); Menta Rice (f), Frankie Burnham (f), Edna Becker (g), and Ione Hodgson (g).

The attendance at the opera house was large and the game a spirited and lively one. At no stage of the contest were our girls met in effectively handling the ball. They outplayed the visitors at every point, were quicker on their feet and displayed more science and the results of hard practice and careful training. The game was exciting at times and considerable enthusiasm prevailed.

In the first half Deming made one free and two field goals; Albuquerque, two free and one field; total, 5-4. In the second half Deming scored four free and three field goals; Albuquerque, one free; total, 10-1, making the score for the game in Deming's favor at 15 to 5.

The complete summary here follows:

Deming—Free goals, Connolly, 5; field goals, Rice 2; Burnham, 3; fouls, Connolly, 1; Rice, 2; Burnham, 1; Decker, 1; Hodgson, 2; University—Free goals, Cunningham, 2; field goals, Cunningham, 1; fouls, Cunningham, 1; Smith, 1; Mondy, 1; Harach, 2; Finch, 2; Referee, Jaeger; umpires, Wright Lawson, Deming; Clarence Heald, Albuquerque; time keeper, Leffer; score keeper, Brown.

The Albuquerque girls remained in town over Sunday. They were rather sore over their defeat and it is said that some of them will abandon the game, return home and in the future do fancy work or help mamma about the house.

JUDGE BAKER BOOSTING.

Judge Benjamin S. Baker and Mrs. Baker of New Mexico, for many years on the district bench in this city, arrived in Omaha last evening on a ten-day visit and are at the Paxton hotel, says the Omaha Bee, November 27. Judge Baker abates not in his enthusiasm over his new home; neither does he hesitate to put in a good word for it when invited to. In an interview last evening he said:

"Mrs. Baker and I are just in from New Mexico. The territory is developing very rapidly. New and valuable mines are being discovered almost daily and eastern money is coming in to develop them. The sheep and cattle industries are at high tide; many miles of railroad are in process of construction; irrigation is receiving more attention than ever before.

"Yes, I am interested in an irrigation plant. We have secured from the territory 15,000 acres of land and are now constructing a dam, which when completed, will cost \$250,000 and will store water enough to irrigate all our lands. Land in the vicinity of ours with water is worth \$100 to \$200 per acre. We will be ready for the spring rains.

"Politics? Excuse me. When I left Nebraska, I burned all political bridges behind me. Yes, they have political and factional fights down in New Mexico the same as anywhere, but I view them from afar. But they all want statehood; most of them want single statehood, but all want statehood in some form. Statehood has lost nothing since the last congress, and in fact has gained, and you must know there is strength enough to carry it; but not powerful enough to set aside that time honored senatorial courtesy, yet I think the ridiculous spectacle of United States senators talking four or five days and saying nothing, on statehood, became so ludicrous, that a change of senatorial courtesy may follow, of course senatorial courtesy will

continue to be wise and proper until a change takes place; then we will all know it was a great mistake. The next regular session will bring statehood in some form for New Mexico.

"President Roosevelt is very strong with us in the territory. In fact whenever I go I find the president very strong with the rank and file of his party, and in fact, with all the people. I don't think any other name will go before the republican convention.

"Mrs. Baker and I are fond of New Mexico. Albuquerque is the best little city in America. All business. We have large wholesale houses \$1,500,000 lumber mill, and the suit of clothes I am wearing was made at the woolen mills from cloth of their own make. We are selling woolen goods all over the southwest and in fact a great amount is sent to eastern markets. In short, New Mexico, is all right and fast coming to the front."

BELEN BREVITIES.

Special Correspondence.

Belen, N. M., Dec. 2—Tuesday evening marked the close of one of the most exciting and well played tournaments ever held under the auspices of the Hey-Dey club. The two deciding games between the Goo-Goo Eyes and the Tigers brought out the respective rooters of each team. As a result of the evening's contest the Tigers won all three games, making them the champion team of the tournament, having to their credit seven games out of the series of nine. Messrs. Scheele, P. B. Dales, Simmons, Derrick and Campbell, composing the Goo-Goo Eyes. Messrs. Huning, H. Becker, H. E. Davis and Radcliffe the Tigers. O. M. Zeigler made the highest average for any three consecutive games in the tournament, having 205 to his credit. To Ernest Zweiger is due the proud distinction of having the highest individual score for the entire nine games, with an average of 189.

Miss Helen Sperring, a very popular and prepossessing young lady of this place, who has been seriously ill for the past week is now reported much improved.

Ike Crisman has begun work on the first of a number of cottages which are to be put up for John Becker, the well known Belen merchant.

Mrs. Oscar Leffing spent Tuesday with Belen friends.

The younger set of Belen were out in full force at the birthday party given by Miss Francis Graves. The young people were initiated into the mysteries of "Pinch." At this game Adolph Coburg had no difficulty in showing his supremacy to the extent of capturing first prize. After cards, refreshments were served and in the wee small hours the guests wended their way homeward with an all-prevaling wish that birthdays might come to Miss Graves at least twice a year.

Thirty carloads of bridge material has been unloaded here during the past week for the new railroad bridge across the Rio Grande. It may not be quite safe to predict just when the work on the cut-off may be resumed, but the fact that things will start up in the near future can by no means be overlooked.

Ignacio T. Tatoyo of this place was thrown from his horse on Wednesday and sustained a serious fracture of both collar bone and shoulder blade.

RECORD OF THE POST.

The two cannon, unearthed in Old Albuquerque about thirteen years ago, have been taken in hand by G. K. Warren post No. 5, Grand Army of the Republic. They will be polished, a fund will be raised for mounting them, and they will probably be placed in Robinson city park.

The cannon are of brass, were made in 1853, would make one laugh to think of them as instruments of war when compared with those made at the present time, and have had a most interesting history.

Eight of them were buried when the confederate forces abandoned Albuquerque and fell back towards Texas. They remained buried till 1890, of twenty-five years after the close of the war, when Major Teal of Texas, who was present when they were entombed, came to Albuquerque to see if he could locate the place of burial. This he did successfully, relying on his memory alone, after the lapse of so many years.

The finding of the cannon created great interest all over the country; and at once Colorado, because her soldiers were in New Mexico and assisted in the repulsion of the confederate forces, claimed the trophies.

The matter was finally settled by the war department's giving four of the cannon to Colorado, two to Santa Fe and two to Albuquerque.

Nothing has been done with the two given to this city, in all the intervening thirteen years, though several efforts to that end have been made. The matter should no longer be neglected. These cannon are trophies of which any city should be proud. They are mementoes of an immensely important event in the history of Albuquerque's development, and as relics of the country's heroic days would be of profound interest to every visitor to the city. Properly polished and mounted, and placed in Robinson city park, which itself commemorates a deed of heroism unsurpassed in the records of American cities, Albuquerque could point to them with pride while visitors viewed them with pleasure. Let G. K. Warren post push the matter to a successful conclusion while every Albuquerquean should aid in the meritorious enterprise.

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BREEZY NEW YORK LETTER

Facts Political, Business and Otherwise Treated in Interesting Notes.

New York, December 4.—This last week has been unusually busy week in Wall street. Several large corporations have paid dividends while many others are scheduled to issue checks to stockholders between this and the fifteenth. Those fortunate enough to hold Standard Oil stock will receive comfortable fortunes, in many instances, as the dividends for the last quarter in the year is \$12 a share. Mr. J. D. Rockefeller's dividends will amount to \$25,000,000.

Already New York is taking on its holiday gaiety. Many of the stores have started special attractions for the children and the display this season along this particular line is greater than ever. One of the large establishments in Herald Square has reproduced in wax all of the famous characters in the comic supplements of the Sunday papers and have them exhibited in the form of living pictures in an immense window space. Needless to say that such tableaux are a great delight to the children and from the crowds which appear before the windows daily, it would seem that the grown-ups enjoy the display as much as the children. Another store further down has "Babies in Toyland," which is a full-fledged dramatic production.

The politicians are getting ready their measures to be presented in the legislature which begins soon. Local republicans have decided that one of the first matters to be brought to the attention of the legislature is the advisability of a change in the law of regulating party primaries, which may give to voters greater liberty in the matter of joining political parties. As the law now stands if a voter declares himself at the time of registration for his party primaries he cannot legally join any party for a year. Legislation is desired which will permit any man to join any party any time he desires, with, of course, proper restrictions to prevent fraud at the primaries.

A production to which society in New York looks forward with unusual interest every year is the social register. This year's little book is remarkable chiefly for the many changes in addresses of families prominent in the social world. During the last twelve months, the register shows 2,245 families have changed their residences, 549 persons have married, 232 men and 167 women have died. This year the register has been extended to Pittsburgh and the southern cities from Richmond to Atlanta, including Charleston, Savannah, Augusta and North Carolina cities.

Hereafter the newspapers will not be able to fall back upon the Brooklyn Rapid Transit when they wish to make a fight against some defective transportation line. It has just been announced that the company has completed contracts for \$10,575,000 worth of improvements which include the purchase of new surface cars and 100 new elevated cars at a cost of nearly \$2,000,000.

For one time New York is following in the lead of another city. In this regard it emulates the example of fashionable Chicago hotel and restaurant keepers, who have decided to discontinue music in their dining rooms. Two or three of the leading hotels have abandoned music in the exclusive dining rooms because their patrons do not like it. The way one manager puts it is that people would rather talk than hear music, which is becoming vulgar and popular only in saloons, so to show that they are not parsimonious restaurateurs are expending the money paid high priced orchestras in rare flowers for table decorations.

In it doubtful if the decision reached recently by a judge in the appellate court here, which enables a man to recover from a bookmaker money lost while betting on the races will have much effect upon gamblers. It seems to be natural with men to gamble, says a man who is famous all over the country for his connection with the race track and no laws or decisions will kill gambling. No sport is going to equal when losing and those who try the "baby act" are few. Even men who might be inclined to cry over their losses will hesitate before exposing themselves by going to court and the decision will not be allowed to rest.

It is stated upon good authority that the August Belmont syndicate, which contracted to build the East River tunnel will lose \$5,000,000 on the job, as they agreed to do the work for \$3,000,000, while the tunnel will cost not less than \$11,000,000. The Belmont people, however, claim that they are practically willing to lose money in the construction of the tunnel for the advantage they will gain by having control of it, hence after all what seems a loss to the general public will turn out a source of immense profit in the end for the syndicate.

The board of education has been working very hard to accommodate all the children in the city who desire to have the advantages of an education, but yet there remain between 5,000 and 10,000 children who are not receiving the full benefit of the educational system because of the lack of room. Many of these children, too, are kept from school because of their innate physical ability to study. For the benefit of the latter a plan, it is said will soon be started for the establishment of special "ungraded schools" absolutely free from any form of curriculum or course of study, under the direction of specially trained teachers. These defective children will be trained until they are 13 years of age.

Managers of local charitable institutions are expecting generally increased demands upon them this winter, owing to the fact that at least 50,000 men of the building trades were idle for the greater part of the summer, that nearly twice as many were out for a longer period either because of lockouts or strikes and that 15,000 or more are without work. The resources of the institutions will be taxed to the utmost, but there is confidence that all worthy cases can be provided for.

The liquor dealers who took an active part in the Tammany campaign are now trying to ascertain in advance the excise policy of Mayor-elect McEllen. They have not obtained any authorized information, but one of the "tips" or suggestions now going the rounds is that it is to be "chains off," but no growers on Sundays. Ever now, it is stated, that saloonmen are growing careless and dealers generally are of the opinion that from now on the enforcement of the excise law will be less rigid than it has been for the past twelve months.

Holiday novelties of all descriptions are appearing in the fashionable windows. An umbrella that attracts much attention at an uptown jeweler's is labeled \$340. The silk is no better than an umbrella costing \$10, but the handle is of enamel and gold topped with an amethyst set in a gold ring, which opens on hinges and reveals a little box for confections—or a powder puff—according to the person who gets it. It is for a woman, and the manufacturer says that for every ten expensive umbrellas sold for men 100 are sold for women.

EXCITEMENT OVER GOLD.

L. W. Galles, southwestern manager of the State Life Insurance company of Indianapolis, Indiana, returned this morning from the new placer gold fields of Sierra county. Mr. Galles left here last Friday, went to Hillsboro and from there went to the gold fields. He said to The Citizen today: "Accounts of this wonderful find have not been exaggerated. I was incredulous myself at first, but I believe now it will prove the biggest thing in the gold line New Mexico has ever known."

The gold was first discovered by Bernard Silva, his six brothers and Ramon Rodriguez, in a gulch near Apache Gap, and eighteen miles nearly due east of Hillsboro. Almost at the same time Manuel Stapleton and Felix Trujillo, with the father and several brothers of Trujillo, found gold in another gulch but in the near neighborhood. Since then better finds have been made fully six miles from the first ones.

The placer grounds extend from Apache Gap a distance of fifteen miles down the Rio Grande to Green canyon, and from near the river to a distance of five miles to the east. The whole country is very rough, the mountains, while the hills themselves are cut by innumerable gulches. It is in these gulches that the placer ground has been found lying on bedrock, and covered by but a few inches of coarse sand made up of granite and lime. Gold, however, has not been discovered in all the gulches, not because it may not be there, but because the sand is much deeper in some places than in others. In fact, as one descends the river the dip of the bed rock increases.

But while gold has not yet been found in all the gulches, it has been found on the divides between the gulches, in a gold bearing cement, the components of which are the same as that of the placer sands; and many are of the opinion that this cement capping of the ridges will be found richer in gold than even the sands themselves. "The cement capping," said Mr. Galles, "seems to stand on end, and reminds me of the descriptions I have read of the same character of formation in the South African gold fields."

The principal rush of people, so far has been from El Paso, though they are beginning to come in now from all directions, as many as fifty arriving in a day. But little has been done in the way of working the claims, everyone being too busy in locating claims. What little work has been done is of a peculiar character. The prospector selects the place he is going to try; rakes off the surface with his hand for a few inches; blows away the remaining sand down to bedrock; then spoils the end of a match with spittle, and with this picks up the flakes of gold which lie exposed after the sand has been blown away.

One man in this way, from a piece of land about five feet long by three feet wide, and at no greater depth than six inches, obtained \$500 of gold by weight. Mr. Galles had a vial with \$2.25 worth of gold in it, which he had obtained in that way in about ten minutes.

The gold is of a dull yellow, and chiefly in flakes or grains, the largest nugget so far found being worth \$250. This is natural, as the large nuggets will follow the dip of the bedrock to greater depths. The value of the gold which is nearly pure, has been placed at \$19 a pennyweight.

Mr. Galles denies the story of the discovery having been made through the assistance of an old Mexican chart; but says that twenty-five years ago the Apache Indians used to go there for gold. So they said, but the whites did not believe them, thinking they had gotten the gold from placers near Hillsboro. The Mexicans, however, believed the Indians and more or less effort has since been made by them to discover the Indian placers.

Two years ago Mr. Galles hunted all over this new famous section, and killed a deer on almost the identical spot where the Silvas found the first gold. Indeed, while conducting a hotel at Hillsboro, which he did for many years, he actually entered

der the direction of specially trained teachers. These defective children will be trained until they are 13 years of age.

ACADEMY REPORT.

Yesterday was report day at St. Vincent academy, a popular educational institution of this city, and the following program was rendered: "Santiago March," Roder Roder; Piano, Misses E. Loeb, J. Sleyater, A. Montoya. "Somebody's Mother," recitation by Sixth Grade. History quotations by Sixth, Seventh and Eighth grade, introducing the "Star Spangled Banner," and sung by the class. "Paul Revere's Ride," recitation by Seventh and Eighth grades. "Away to the Fields," chorus, piano Miss Maud Hale. Paper on Paganini, the greatest violinist, by Miss A. Bordenave. Sonata in D, "Diabelli," Op. 33, piano Misses A. Korber and A. Shink. "O Mother, I Could Weep for Mirth," chorus.

High school reports: Best paper on literature, Miss L. Sheehan; on Ruskin, Miss M. Brennan; on Irving, Miss Boatright; best story, Miss A. Bordenave. Class leaders: Twelfth grade, Miss L. Sheehan; tenth, Miss Boatright; ninth, Miss Korber; eighth, Miss J. Walsh and A. Antoine; seventh, E. Metzinger and H. Rogers; sixth, J. Gavin and A. Montoya; fifth, Julia Girard and J. Sleyater; fourth, Benecio Hesselnden and G. Lutz; third, J. Mirabal; second, R. With; first, M. Metzinger.

On last Monday the music pupils rendered the following program in honor of St. Cecilia, the patroness of music: "Dolly's Lullaby," Czerny; Misses Didier and Martinez.

"Winter Song," Matthews; Miss Sanches.

"Little Prince," Krogmann; Miss Lucero.

"Joy Days," Beyer; Miss Weneke.

"Polonaise," Streabhog; Misses Montoya, Noyer and Brennan.

"Pony Race," Krogmann; Miss Blake.

"Study," Beyer; Miss Gainsley.

"Te Deum," Low; Violin, A. Werner.

Mandolin, Bordenave.

Quickstep—"Brave Boys," Kinkel; Master A. Smith.

March; Misses Loeb and Sleyater.

"Warbling Birds," Henchel; Misses Shink and Hale.

"Pleasures of Youth," Diabelli; Misses Walsh and Brennan.

"The Old, Old Home," Johnson; Chorus.

Piano, Miss Shink.

"Tambourine March," Treloar; Misses Korber and Sheehan.

Another Gusher.

Another big gusher was struck Friday on the N. E. Health place, one and one-half miles west of Artesia. The well is 716 feet deep and the casing is 6 1/2 inches. The water rises five feet above the casing and the flow is 3,000 gallons per minute. This makes the third big artesian well, or to use the language of the well men, the third big gusher that has been struck near Artesia in the past thirty days.

The J. B. Ceil well, three miles southeast, is the most wonderful in the valley. The well is 830 feet deep and the water rises majestically to the height of seven feet above the casing and the flow is over 3,000 gallons. The J. Mack Smith place two miles southwest, is 680 feet deep and rises five feet above the casing. There are seven more big wells being drilled within a radius of three miles of Artesia and the Artesians have a new disease which is known as "Well-steria."—Roswell Record.

Mann Arrested.

An aftermath of the killing of John O. Martin by Henry Mann at Hachita on November 9th, came up yesterday afternoon in the court of Justice of the Peace W. H. Newcomb, of this city, says the Silver City Independent.

It will be remembered that the verdict of the coroner's jury exonerated Mann, and the matter was supposed to be at an end. Recently, however, some of the friends of the deceased thought it would be better to have a judicial determination, and on November 16th complaint was made in the local court by E. F. Moore, a resident of Hachita, charging Mann with the crime of murder.

Owing to the term of court and press of official business, Sheriff Blair was unable to go to Hachita until Friday evening, and yesterday he returned to Silver City, having Mann in custody. A number of witnesses were also subpoenaed at the same time.

When the case was called for trial it was deemed advantageous by both sides to have a continuance until more witnesses could be secured, and this was accordingly done, the date